# **The Deacon Dairy Farm** Wexford

### **The Challenge**

Clifford Deacon and his father Harry Deacon run Meadow dairy farm in Clonroche, Co. Wexford. The farm was established in 1900 and has been passed down through the generations. Now a dairy farm with over 70 heifers, it is located next to the family's beautiful garden centre, Coolaught Gardens.

The family had previously installed an oil system for the farm's hot water needs but were unhappy with how loud the system was. The noise pollution was not only affecting the farm but also causing disruption in the family home close by.

While searching for a better alternative, Clifford spoke with a friend who had recently installed the Flogas On-Demand Hot Water system at his own dairy farm. His friend was very happy with the Flogas solution and recommended that he get in touch with Flogas. Clifford contacted David Conroy, the local Flogas Dairy. 'The farmer gets on in running his business, he's got guaranteed hot water' David Conroy, Flogas Farm On-Site demonstrator.

## **The Flogas Solution**

David Conroy paid a visit to the farm, bringing the Flogas hot water dairy demonstration trailer with him, to show Clifford and Harry Deacon exactly how the Flogas On-Demand system works.

The Deacons were very impressed, especially at how quiet it was compared to their oil system. They liked how straightforward it was to operate and how quickly and efficiently it produced hot water up to 85°C.

David also advised the Farmers about the location for the Flogas Tank and the necessary siting guidelines for their farm.





# Want to find out more?

If your current system is not providing you with the level of service you require and contributing to high bills, call us for a free on-site survey. We will provide a quotation for a system tailored to you. We will analyse your existing energy costs and outline the savings and benefits you'll enjoy by converting to Flogas LPG.

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### **The Changeover Process**

The local installer did a site walkthrough and advised on the best location to install the heater units and the optimum distances from the heaters and water taps.

A Flogas bulk LPG tank was delivered and sited, and two wall-mounted water heaters were installed and connected. Since then, they haven't looked back.



L-R, Harry Deacon, Dairy Farmer, Clifford Deacon, Dairy Farmer, David Conroy Flogas Dairy On-Site Demonstrator





### **Results**

On demand hot water delivering temperatures from **37°C to 85°C** 

Consistently low TBC count since installation, **3,000 to 6,000**, meeting Glanbia milk quality regulations.

# No hot water storage costs

**Reduced carbon footprint** and full control of the amount of hot water that is used Reliable source of hot

water, secure from theft

Frost **protected** for Winter

No noise pollution

'I found the transition completely seamless and I would definitely recommend Flogas LPG to anyone that was thinking of changing their hot water system' Clifford Deacon, Dairy Farmer.

#### **Contact Flogas for free site visit**

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# Hot Water in an Instant

# Meadow Dairy Farm Harry and Clifford Deacon



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